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3 September 1963

MEMORANDUM FOR: Committee on Overhead Reconnaissance

SUBJECT: Film Handling Priorities on DAFF

In accordance with paragraph 16 of COMOR-M-193 the following priorities are approved for the handling of DAFF materials:

Priority	Type	Method Utilized	Customer	Remarks
1*	DP	Step and Repeat	AMS	Archival Copy
2*	DP	Step and Repeat	AMS	Prepare chips for data bank
	DP	Step and Repeat	AMS	
3*	DP	Step and Repeat	ACIC	
4*	DP	Step and Repeat	Navy PIC	
5*	DP	Step and Repeat		
6*	DP	Continuous	AMS	Use on time matrix
6*	DP	Step & Repeat	SAC	reader
7	ON		AMS	Send to AMS for reproduction of diapositives
8**	DN	Continuous	AMS	
9**	DN	Continuous	ACIC	
10**	DN	Continuous	Navy	
11**	DN	Continuous		

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34 ,35	CIA COMOR Member
36	CGS/ReqBr/ReconGrp
37	Ch/COMOR Wkg Grp
38	AD/SI
39	DDP TCO
40	DDS&T TCO
41	AD/OSA
42	FA/OSA
43	Intel/OSA
44	SO/OSA
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26 January 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR: Select Members of the U.S. Defense and Intelligence Community

SUBJECT : Instructions for Control of Documents which, in Addition to [REDACTED], Contain COMINT, TALENT-KEYHOLE and/or TALENT Information

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1. This Directive supersedes COMOR D-35/1 of 18 April 1961 (TCS-9071-61-KH).

2. Section V, B, 9 of the [REDACTED] Security Manual states: "Instructions for control of that material which, in addition to [REDACTED] is the subject of another special security System (dual code word material) are outlined in separate directives." The purpose of this Directive is to establish procedures for the control of documents wherein [REDACTED] information appears in combination with COMINT, TALENT-KEYHOLE and/or TALENT materials.

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3. Whenever [REDACTED] information is used in conjunction with other codeword materials, such as COMINT, TALENT-KEYHOLE and TALENT, the control of such materials will be governed by procedures prescribed for these latter systems; e.g.:

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- a. A COMINT control number will always be used if COMINT information is included regardless of whether TALENT and/or TALENT-KEYHOLE also appears therein.
- b. If no COMINT information is involved but TALENT-KEYHOLE, a TALENT-KEYHOLE Control number will be used.
- c. If no COMINT or TALENT-KEYHOLE information is involved, but TALENT, a TALENT Control number will be used.

4. The following additional procedures pertain whenever a document contains [REDACTED] information in addition to COMINT, TALENT-KEYHOLE and/or TALENT:

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- a. Delivery will be effected by a TALENT courier.
- b. Delivery must always be effected to control centers which, in addition to being approved for COMINT, TALENT-KEYHOLE and/or TALENT, must be approved for [REDACTED]
- c. Internal arrangements must be made to ensure that such documents are controlled or viewed

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only by persons possessing Security Approval for [REDACTED] or the appropriate [REDACTED] project, in addition to the other specific clearances.

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- d. The cover sheet of each document, in addition to indicating all other special security systems to which the document is subject, will bear the statement: "This document also contains information referring to project(s) (Name of project(s) inserted) and must be handled within the [REDACTED] Control System."

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- e. The name of the appropriate [REDACTED] project(s) will be stamped at the top and bottom of each page of the document in addition to the classification and other system indicators.

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- f. All documents will be double wrapped or double enveloped for delivery.

- g. In the upper right-hand corner of the outer wrapping or envelope will appear the letter [REDACTED] in addition to other appropriate indicators.

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- h. The inner wrapping or envelope will bear the indicator [REDACTED] in addition to other appropriate system indicators.

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5. Each area [REDACTED] Control Officer to whom this Directive is disseminated will paraphrase instructions contained herein for the benefit of such other area [REDACTED] Control Officers coming under his jurisdiction to assure that reference to COMINT, TALENT-KEYHOLE and/or TALENT is deleted where dissemination is being effected to areas not approved for any of these matters.

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1- Under Sec AF, Col. Beary  
2- Exec Sec. Pres FIAB, Mr. Coyle  
3- Mil Adv. for the Pres, Mr. Parrot  
4- Secin Adv. to the Pres, Mr. Keeney  
5- Exec Sec. Nat Sec Council, Mr. [REDACTED] CIA  
6- Spec Asst to the Pres for NSA, Bundy  
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31 January 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR: Committee On Overhead Reconnaissance

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED] Security Manual Implementation

1. SO/DPD has requested that members of COMOR take the following steps toward the implementation of the [REDACTED] Security System:

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a. Furnish the [REDACTED] CIA by 5 February 1962 the locations and addresses of their Headquarters [REDACTED] Control Centers [REDACTED] and the names of their [REDACTED] Control Officers [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] Security Officers [REDACTED] (It is presumed that, except in the case of the USAF and unless extraordinary factors exist, these [REDACTED] [REDACTED]s will be identical to those within the TALENT System.)

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b. Furnish the [REDACTED] by 5 February 1962 their requirements for additional manuals, project briefing booklets and oaths, cover sheets, rubber stamps, etc.

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c. Furnish by 12 February 1962 to the [REDACTED] the names, locations, and addresses of their respective [REDACTED]s in the ZI and abroad who answer in line of command to their Headquarters and identify the specific program (s) in which these centers are involved.

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d. Advise by 12 February 1962 the [REDACTED], CIA of their requirements for the above-mentioned materials in order to implement the [REDACTED] Manual in the field.

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e. Furnish the [REDACTED] CIA by 23 February 1962 a progress report indicating the degree to which the [REDACTED] Security System has been effected throughout their respective commands.

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2. During all future security indoctrinations for [REDACTED] projects the briefing officer [REDACTED] in addition to having the individual read the required project security indoctrination statement and execute the required security oath, should advise the individual that the project is subject to the [REDACTED] Security System.

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3. In view of the fact that the Department of the Air Force jointly participates in the operation of these [REDACTED] projects and consequently has unique problems, a separate communication will be directed to that Department with regard to the implementation of this System.

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7--JCS via DIA TCO  
8, 9--OACSI TCO  
10--ONI TCO  
11, 12, 13--AFCIN TCO  
14, 15 --NSA TCO

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19--ORR TCO  
20--DIR NPIC  
21--TSO CIA  
22--C/CIA/PAD(NPIC)  
23--C/DMD/NPIC  
24--LS/CIA/PAD(NPIC)  
25--DDP TCO  
26--Intel/DPD  
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28-30--C/SRS/DPD/DDP

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18 April 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR: COMOR

SUBJECT: Operational Security: Control  
of [REDACTED] Documents

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Attached is a revision of TCS-8628-61-KH of 21 February 1961.  
Your attention is called especially to the added sentence of paragraph 2  
and to the addition of the new paragraph 2 g. Also note that the attached  
list has been revised by [REDACTED]

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Revision of TCS-8628-61-KH

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Select TALENT and TALENT-KEYHOLE  
Control Officers

SUBJECT: Procedures Applicable to the Control of  
Documents Containing Both TALENT and/or  
TALENT-KEYHOLE and [REDACTED] Information 25X1A

1. Certain problems have presented themselves in routing documents containing references to materials falling within the purview of TALENT or TALENT-KEYHOLE which also contain IDEALIST, CORONA or ARGON data.

2. Consequently, the cryptonym [REDACTED] has been assigned 25X1A to a routing control system for documents referring to special projects IDEALIST, CORONA or ARGON (for which projects security responsibility rests with [REDACTED] materials, when appearing 25X1A in conjunction with TALENT or TALENT-KEYHOLE information, will be handled in accordance with the following procedures.

a. TALENT control personnel named in the attached list are authorized to receive and effect control and storage of TALENT or TALENT-KEYHOLE documents which also contain [REDACTED] information (ie., references to Projects IDEALIST, CORONA or ARGON). 25X1A

b. Such documents will be numbered within the TALENT or TALENT-KEYHOLE numbering system as appropriate.

c. The TALENT or TALENT-KEYHOLE cover sheet of each document will also bear a stamp "This document contains information referring to Project (IDEALIST, CORONA or ARGON, as appropriate)." In addition, each page of the document should be stamped top and bottom: "IDEALIST," "CORONA" and/or "ARGON" as appropriate, in addition to the classification.

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d. The document will be delivered via the TALENT Control courier utilizing the double-envelope system.

e. In the upper right-hand corner of the outer wrapping will appear the letter [REDACTED] in addition to other appropriate indicators. / This indicates to the control center that the material therein, in addition to TALENT or TALENT-KEYHOLE refers to IDEALIST, CORONA or ARGON or any combination thereof. 7

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f. The inner wrapping will bear a stamp [REDACTED] in addition to other system indicators.

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g. The word [REDACTED] will not appear on any document or cover sheet.

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h. The TALENT Control Officers identified on the attached list possess security clearance for Projects IDEALIST, CORONA and ARGON. These TALENT Control Officers are responsible for assuring that dissemination of TALENT- [REDACTED] or TALENT-KEYHOLD- [REDACTED] is made only to persons possessing the appropriate operational security clearances. In addition, in the attached list are listed those individuals in each TCO's office who are authorized to sign for and deliver to the TCO [REDACTED] materials, though they may not, in some cases, be certified at present for all clearances covered by [REDACTED]

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Department of State

TCO T. Achilles Polyzoides  
Room 1110  
New State Extended

Laurel G. Caruthers

Joint Chiefs of Staff and Office of the Secretary of Defense

TCO Col. William C. Herrington  
Room 2C924  
Pentagon

Capt. James R. Plitt  
M/Sgt Harold L. Callen

Department of the Army

TCO Col. Jeff W. Boucher  
Room 2B457  
Pentagon

Maj. Kenneth M. Stoudt  
Shirley Mongold  
Harriette D. Warner  
Capt. Cornelius V. Edge

Department of the Navy

TCO Cmdr. Harley D. Myles  
Room 5E711  
Pentagon

Lt. Cmdr. Robert E. Pyle  
Lt/JG Paul D. Moke

Department of the Air Force

TCO Capt. Kenneth F. Perske  
Room 555  
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Capt. Gerald W. Carr  
Sgt Don W. Treadway  
Sgt John F. Socha

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18--ORR TCO  
19--Director/NPIC  
20--CIA TSO  
21, 22--C/DMD/NPIC  
23--DDP TCO  
24--Intel Staff/DPD  
25--SO/DPD  
26--29--[REDACTED]/DDP 25X1A  
30--40--C/DMD/NPIC

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18 April 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR: COMOR

SUBJECT: Operational Security: Clearance Procedures

For the information and guidance of COMOR members, there is attached a memorandum from the Security Office/DPD establishing procedures for the handling of operational clearances.

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Control of IDEALIST, CORONA, and ARGON Clearances

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Control of IDEALIST, CORONA, and ARGON Clearances  
(Ref: TCS-8904-KH- [REDACTED] COMOR-M-18, 28 March 1961)

1. In order to standardize the control points for certain special clearances within the U. S. Government structure, it is agreed that TALENT Control Officers for State Department, JCS/OSD, OACSI, NSA, CNO/ONI should be designated as points of control for IDEALIST, CORONA, and ARGON clearances to effect the following action:

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- a. Process requests for clearance to the Security Officer, [REDACTED] along with justification, sufficient biographical data to effect identification and certification of TS clearance under criteria established by the TALENT Control Manual.
  - b. Conduct security briefings and debriefings.
  - c. Maintain up-to-date lists of all cleared individuals within their areas of responsibility.

2. The TCO's of the various military commands (with the exception of the USAF) wherein there are individuals possessing IDEALIST, CORONA, or ARGON clearances, will also control these clearances within their respective areas. These TCO's will respond either through the TCO/OACSI or the TCO/CNO/ONI as they do in the case of TALENT clearances, with the exception that the Central Intelligence Agency will exercise the final judgment as to the clearability or need-to-know of any individual.

3. Control of these clearances for individuals under the jurisdiction of the USAF cannot, for operational reasons, parallel the TALENT control structure. Verification of operational clearances for these personnel can presently be made through Security Officer, DPD-DDP, or USAF/AFCIG-5 (in the case of IDEALIST), or USAF/M&S (in the case of CORONA and ARGON). It is intended to identify, in the near future, the specific control points both domestic and abroad within the Air Force structure.

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4. The Security Officer, DPD-DDP-CIA, will make the necessary security briefing materials and control records available upon request. Since requests for clearances may frequently contain reference to operational matters, it is requested that control procedures established in TCS-8628-61, 21 February 1961 (Procedures Applicable to Control of Documents Containing both TALENT and/or TALENT-KEYHOLE and [REDACTED] information) be utilized for delivery of all papers dealing with the subject of the operational clearances.

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5. For the benefit of NSA, this memorandum is not meant to conflict with security procedures established for the NSA/USAFSS IDEALIST SIGINT reporting procedures as outlined in SC-03533-61, 21 February 1961.

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21--Intel Staff, DPD  
22--SO/DPD  
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